

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
In re Application of Atty. Docket

ARNAUD GESNOT

PHFR 000011

Serial No.:

Filed: CONCURRENTLY

Title: IMPROVED METHOD OF REDUCING BLOCKING ARTIFACTS

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and examination,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

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Claim 3, line 3, delete "or 2".

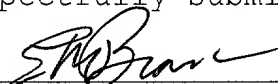
Claim 4, line 3, delete "or 2".

REMARKS

The claims have been amended to delete multiple  
dependencies.

The above amendments are submitted to place this  
application in proper U.S. format. Entry of the amendment  
and an early action on the merits are solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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AUTHORIZATION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR §1.136(a)(3)  
AND TO CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

Sir:

The Commissioner is hereby requested and authorized to treat any concurrent or future reply in this application requiring a petition for extension of time for its timely submission, as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time.

Please charge any additional fees which may now or in the future be required in this application, including extension of time fees, but excluding the issue fee unless explicitly requested to do so, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 14-1270.

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